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The claims of the application as now presented are believed to patentably distinguish over the prior art and to be in condition for allowance. Early and favorable consideration of the case is respectfully requested.

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EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
		2001/0004269	6/21/2001	Shibata et al.			
		2001/0043166	11/22/2001	Jacobsen et al.			
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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO
		EP 0 975 132	1/26/2000	EPO			X	
		EP 1 096 771	5/2/2001	EPO			X	

## OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)


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